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A Middlesex Water Company Affiliate

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Alisa Bentley, Secretary
Public Service Commission
861 Silver Lake Boulevard
Cannon Building, Suite 100
Dover, DE 19904

RE: Wastewater Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) Abandonment for Welsh Run – Orders 6767 & 7557

**Dear Secretary:** 

This letter is to serve as official notice that Tidewater Environmental Services, Inc. (TESI) intends to abandon its wastewater CPCN, with all rights and obligations under current law, for the current or former tax parcel number 234-15.00-40.00, also known as Welsh Run. The order granting the CPCN was #6704 and was originally filed as Docket 05-WW-024. A subsequent CPCN order (#7557) was granted in May 2009 to correct a mapping error with the original CPCN application.

The current landowner of this parcel is Fernmoor Homes at Welsh Run, LLC (Fernmoor). Fernmoor supports this application for approval to remove parcel 234-15.00-40.00 from TESI's wastewater CPCN franchise area. TESI has not built any plant to provide wastewater service to the Welsh Run development. Construction has not started on the proposed development and therefore, no customers will be affected by the CPCN relinquishment. Fernmoor intends to seek wastewater service from another wastewater utility entity.

If you should require any additional information please feel free to contact me at (302) 734-7500.

Eincerely,

Gerard L. Esposito

President

cc:

A. Bruce O'Connor, TESI

Kenneth Quinn, TESI Kirsten Higgins, TESI

Jeffery Fernbach, Fernmoor Homes at Welsh Run, LLC

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On this 9th day of <u>Becewler</u>, 20<u>13</u>, personally came before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for the state and county aforesaid, Gerard L. Esposito as the President of Tidewater Environmental Services, Inc., known to me personally to be such or having presented to me satisfactory evidence of identity, and acknowledged this document to be his act and deed and the act and deed of such, that the signature of such individual is in his own proper handwriting, and that the facts set forth in this are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

Signature of individual

Printed Name: GERARD L. ESPOSITO

SIGNED AND SWORN (OR AFFIRMED) before me on this 9 day of Wecewher, 2013, by GERARD L. ESPOSITE (name of individual who signed above).

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Signature of Delaware Notarial Officer.

KATHLEEN SHIELDS
NOTARY PUBLIC DELAWARE
My Commission Expires July 6, 2014

Title (e.g., Notary Public)

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